

UNSCARED BY FIRE, WOMAN OF 76 SITS CALMLY IN SMOKE

Mrs. Hogan Coolest in Apartment When St. Nicholas Avenue Blaze Starts.

The coolest persons among the 200 residents of the Roanoke Apartments, No. 38 St. Nicholas avenue, when a fire started in a millinery store on the ground floor early to-day, was Mrs. Katherine Hogan, seventy-six years old. While the others were pushing and struggling—many of them with nothing on but their night garments—on the stairways and others were descend-

ing fire-escapes as nimbly as they could, Mrs. Hogan looked out of her window on the fourth floor, stood up the situation and sat down quietly to wait until the excitement subsided.

A policeman went up through the smoke-filled halls to look for her when members of her family reported that she was missing.

"I came to the conclusion," she calmly told the policeman, "that there was no danger and I just thought I would stay here."

Nevertheless the policeman took her in his arms and carried her downstairs to the vacant store room on the ground floor, where many of the tenants had taken refuge from the wintry night air.

For a time it looked as though there might be serious consequences from the press of people on the stairs. One flight was choked for several minutes when a man carrying a large bundle of personal effects stumbled and blocked the way. The police assisted the frightened and puny tenants down the stairs and prevented accidents.

The fire started in the millinery store of M. & H. Rich at No. 34, on the West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street side of the building.

Well meaning but troublesome persons broke in the glass doors of the store,

making a draft which caused the fire to gain greater headway than it would otherwise have had before the arrival of the fire engine.

Several engine companies have houses in that neighborhood, and the firemen were on hand quickly. The fire was kept in the fifth story, where it caused a loss of about \$500, a large part of which was a stock of spring hats.

Inquiry Into Litter Case.

Gov. Sulzer has asked for a detailed report of the circumstances of the res-

ignation two weeks ago of Sergt. Samuel Lattman of the Forty-seventh Regiment. Lattman said that promotion had been denied him on the ground that he is a Jew. The Governor's order came through Adj. Gen. Hamilton, who forwarded it yesterday to Gen. John G. Kelly. In command of the Second Brigade.

Immodest.

(From the Boston Transcript.)

He—You'll admit that Margaret has fine teeth.

She—Yes; but I think the way she shows them is positively immodest.

Does Your Occupation Cause Constipation?

Hunyadi Janos Pills

SEVERAL occupations and nervous strains cause constipation. This cannot be overcome by "just any laxative," but requires a remedy which stimulates properly the nervous system and through it the inactive organs.

The NEW and BEST remedy, just such a remedy, comes from certain occupations. 1 or 2 pills at night operate surely and gently in the morning.

25 cents from any up-to-date Druggist or by Mail from Andrew Sankovszky, M. D.

75c Indian Suits

Made of good quality khaki colored cloth.

Shirt and pants are fancy trimmed. Each suit has a feathered headgear. Size 4 to 14 years.

No Mail Orders.

THE PEOPLE'S NEW DEPARTMENT STORE

KESNER'S

SIXTH AVE 22ND AND 23RD STREETS

Merchandise Stamps

Boys' Sweater Sets

Value \$1.50, for **65c**

All wool sweaters, some with pockets in combination colors. Also an all wool hockey cap in combination colors. Size 6 to 12 years.

No Mail Orders.

four dollar buys more "Better Goods" here than elsewhere

\$35.00, \$30.00, \$25.00, \$20.00 & \$18.00

SUITS, COATS & DRESSES

A genuine clearance of all these high grade garments. A great opportunity for you to get stylish apparel for this Spring's and next Fall's wear.

The Suits are the new Models made of finest materials, from a maker who wanted to cut up his surplus cloth to keep his men busy.

The Coats are the newest models of finest broadcloths, diagonals, chinchillas and boucles.

The Dresses are new Spring models, made of heavy messaline silk, fancy striped worsteds, French serges, also some corduroys and velvet dresses in the popular shades of blue, brown and black; all sizes for women and misses.

EXTRA SPECIAL

Women's Hose, black, tan and white, double soles. Value 10c, for **12c**

Men's Negligee Shirts, striped percales, a variety of patterns. Value 50c, for **39c**

Women's Union Suits, umbrellas and light knee. Value 50c, for **29c**

Men's Sox, black and colors. Splendid wearing quality. Value 10c, for **12c**

Handkerchiefs, for ladies: initialed, seconds. Value 15c, for **3c**

Handkerchiefs, for men: white and colored, seconds. Value 10c, for **3c**

Ribbons, all silk, satin or taffetas. Value 10c per yard, at **3c**

SPECIAL LUNCHEON

Fried Fresh Liver and Bacon
Pickled Red Beet
Baked Potatoes
Charlotte Russe
Coffee
Tea
Milk

25c

Musical 12 to 2 P. M.

\$115, \$95, \$85, \$75 & \$65 FUR COATS, \$42.50

\$4 Bulgarian Turban, \$2.48

This is the Very Latest

We will place on sale Thursday a variety of all the new effects and colors. Six different shapes to choose from.

\$2.50 & \$4 Women's Shoes & Slippers

Button and lace models in calf, patent colt, gun metal, dongolas and calf tanuppers.

\$1.49

In dull mat kid patent leather, kid don-go-las

Goodyear welted and vici kid. In one, two or three ankle straps. Some with handsome beading.

Men's Geo. H. Snow Shoes

New models, in all leathers; these are samples; value \$3.00 to \$5.00; for **\$2.10**

DOUBLE LIBERTY MERCHANDISE STAMPS UNTIL NOON—5% SAVED ON EVERY PURCHASE

Rich American Cut Glass

A Tremendous Purchase from an Overstocked Manufacturer.

THE designs are of rich cutting and come from one of the best cut glass makers in the world. We guarantee each piece to be absolutely perfect and beautifully cut. The blanks are heavy lead glass and the designs are numerous and beautiful. The assortment contains celery trays, fern dishes, handle nappies, bouquet holders, oil bottles, bon-bon dishes, jugs, ice tubs and footed compots.

VALUES UP TO \$5.75 for \$1.59

\$5 Leather Suit Cases

Excellent grade leather, alligator pattern, and handsomely finished. Has solid brass locks and catches. Has shirt pocket, inside straps, and is lined throughout.

\$2.95

Third Floor

Women's 29c Gloves

Hundreds of different kinds to choose from. Not all sizes in all styles. These gloves are muslin, but a cleaning will make them as good as new.

19c

Main Floor

\$2.50 WORTH of MERCHANDISE for EACH FILLED BOOK of LIBERTY MERCHANDISE STAMPS

\$18 Brass Bed

Handsome massive brass bed with 2-inch post and **\$7.90**

10 fillers. Guaranteed lacquer for five years. We limit two to a customer.

40c FLOOR OILCLOTH

Six different patterns to select from **19c**

MATTRESS

Pure white cotton covered with fancy tick; taped edge; all sizes. Value \$5.50, for **\$2.98**

\$1.00 XXXX SHEET LINOLEUM

Four yards wide; covers your room without a seam. Per square yard. **44c**

SANITARY STEEL COUCHES

With two mattresses. Value \$11.00, for **\$3.29**

\$10.00 SPRING

Woven wire steel, non-sagging, for **\$4.98**

J. L. KESNER CO. SIXTH AVE 22ND AND 23RD STREETS

17 Minutes from Grand Central to A. & S. Subway Station Hoyt St. Direct.

ABRAHAM AND STRAUS

BROOKLYN

Every Entrance to the Subway is an Entrance to Abraham & Straus.

Famous Thursday Bargains

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

\$2.00 J. B. Corsets, 98c

STRAIGHT hip model, medium low bust effect; made of white coutil, supporters attached.

\$2.50 Thomson Glove-Fitting Corsets, \$1.49

New long straight hip model, medium low bust effect; made of good quality batiste, supporters attached.

Second floor, front, East Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Hemmed Sheets at 39c. Each

GOOD QUALITY bleached muslin Sheets, 2x 2 1/2 yards, with neat centre seam; special value.

Hemmed Pillowcases, 9c. Each

Bleached muslin Pillowcases, 45x36 inches; special value.

10c. yard wide bleached Muslin at 7c. a yard.

25c. embroidered and hemstitched Pillowcases, 45x36 inches, at 18c. each.

Subway floor, West Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

\$1.75 Brass Costumers, 85c.

100 IN ALL, WITH LARGE hooks, strongly made, polish or satin finish. Store orders only.

\$12.50 Extension Tables at \$7.50

Golden oak, pedestal base, top 42 inches in diameter, extends 6 feet.

Fourth floor, Central and East Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

\$5.19 Gas Lamps, \$3.98

OLD BRASS and black Portables, complete with all attachments, and 14-inch 6-panel cathedral art glass shade and 6-panel glass crown, in amber or green and bead fringe to match.

\$1.49 Boudoir Clocks at 98c.

Brass, silver or gun metal finish case, one-day guaranteed movement and 2-inch porcelain dial.

Subway floor, Central Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Women's Wash Dresses, \$1.98 to \$7.98

\$3.50 to \$10.75 Values

THE GREATEST display of pretty Wash Dresses ever gathered in one group to sell at these prices. The materials are fine ginghams, linon, pique, ratine, handsome stripe crepes, French linen and stripe crash; every one is best style and laces and embroideries have been employed in most charming manner. Make pretty morning frocks. Sizes 32 to 46. None C. O. D. or on approval.

Second floor, Central Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Women's \$22.50 New Spring Suits, \$12.75

MADE of navy blue, black, tan, gray, also white serge; two models to choose from, one lined with peau de cygne. All sizes from 32 to 44 bust measure.

Second floor, Central Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Women's \$12.50 to \$24.75 Coats, \$5.95 and \$9.95

A VARIETY of materials and colors, this collection of Coats includes mixtures, tweeds, worsteds, etc., suitable for street wear; colors are navy, gray, tan, Oxford and black; all sizes from 32 to 42 bust.

Second floor, Central Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Women's \$4 Separate Skirts, \$2.75

150 EXCELLENT SKIRTS in good men's wear serges; colors are navy, black and brown. Made on the practical three-gore model, suitable for all figures and trimmed with self buttons at bottom of skirt in tailor fashion. All size waistbands from 22 to 33 inches. Lengths 38 to 43 inches.

Second floor, Central Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

\$2.98 to \$4.98 Coating Fabrics, \$1.79

CLEARANCE SALE of the remainder of our Fall Coating Fabrics, including plaid back Polo Coatings, plaid back Chinchilla, striped reversible and Velour coatings and silver gray, navy and black Chinchilla, all at **\$1.79** a yard.

NOTE—Quantity limited. Come early. None C. O. D. and store orders only.

Street floor, West Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

29c. Messaline Lining, 13c. Yd.

VERY LUSTROUS and silky, light weight and desirable for slips and petticoats under sheer materials; in black, tan, golden brown, chestnut brown, cadet, Nile, maize, lavender, navy, pearl, violet, medium gray.

Street floor, rear, Central Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Wash Fabrics—Remnants—Month End Sale

GREAT MONTH-END SALE. Short ends and odd lengths; some long enough for a dress, others for waists, aprons or children's frocks, etc. A large variety of desirable fabrics and colors.

Lot 1—At **5c.** a yard. Lot 3—At **15c.** a yard.

Lot 2—At **10c.** a yard. Lot 4—At **19c.** a yard.

Lot 5—A collection at variously reduced prices.

NOTE—We have a bargain table on which you will find every day Wash Fabrics where the quantities are too small to advertise, such as discontinued styles, odd pieces or only enough for one dress, all at greatly reduced prices.

Subway floor, West Building.

In Most Wanted Goods

GLANCE THROUGH THESE THURSDAY SPECIALS and you will find almost every wanted merchandise at unmatchably low prices. The Thursday Specials of Abraham and Straus have become famous for many miles around, not only because the prices are so very low, lower than those of any other store, lower than our own unmatchably low regular prices—but the goods are just exactly what every one is looking for and everything up to the minute—quality, style, variety unequalled.

Use the Subway

Those living on the line of the subway will find that the best way to reach here from Manhattan, Bronx and beyond is to take the Brooklyn express direct to the A. & S. Private Subway Station at Hoyt Street.

Where to Dine

Dine in the beautiful a la carte restaurant and grill room on the Fifth Floor. You will be surprised how moderate the prices are in this thoroughly up-to-date, handsomely equipped, high grade Restaurant.

The Panama Exhibit

Owing to the extraordinary interest in the Panama Canal Model the only time to see it comfortably is before 10 in the morning. Get tickets on the subway floor, rear, East Building. No adults admitted after 3 P. M. No children without parents at any time. NO MORE RESERVATIONS FOR SCHOOLS MAY BE MADE.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Men's Half Hose, 9c

IMPORTED BLACK HALF HOSE with hand embroidered fronts and also lace listle, made with double soles, heels and toes, full fashioned.

Men's Silk Half Hose at 19c

In tan, navy, gray and black, made with a listle sole, heel and toe, with a tiny imperfection.

Street floor, Men's Building, Hoyt Street.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Men's Fancy Shirts, 69c

STRIPED PERCALES in excellent patterns, chiefly light effects, black and white and blue and white; sizes 14 to 17 inches; made coat model and cuffs attached.

Men's Four-in-Hands at 10c

A clearance sale of men's Four-in-Hands, an assorted lot, left from our recent Neckwear sales, all put together for quick selling. Store orders only.

Street floor, front, East Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Men's \$1.00 Underwear, 79c

WINTER WEIGHT merino, natural gray, superior quality and finish, made of fine selected wool and cotton yarns. Shirts have self fronts, English necks with fine mohair braid trimmings; Drawers have coutil facings, pearl buttons and reinforced gussets. All perfect goods.

Men's 50c Underwear, 3 for \$1.00

Deliberant Underwear, fine Egyptian cotton yarn, superior quality and finish. Shirts have self fronts, French necks and short sleeves; Drawers have double seats, strap backs, coutil facings and pearl buttons; ankle or knee lengths. Subject to slight mill imperfections.

Street floor, Men's Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Women's 15c Undervests, 8c

LOW NECK, sleeveless and short sleeves.

Women's 40c Combination Suits at 29c

Low neck, fine cotton, shaped combinations, knee length, lace trimmed.

Street floor, front, Central Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Mezzanine Trimmings Hats, \$4.95 to \$12.00

THE SMALL BLACK SATIN HAT is the latest and best from Paris, with a smart stickup in front, and they are shown here in the new advance styles for Spring and Summer at prices that are amazingly little.

\$1.45 Untrimmed Hats at 98c

A wonderful value in chip Hats, beautiful soft Hats, in both the hood effect and the roll sailor; in two different styles; solid colors, black, navy, brown, burnt, etc., or with bands of contrasting color such as black and royal, black and cerise, navy and white and black and white.

Street and Mezzanine floors, West Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Women's 15c Stockings, 8c Pair

BLACK COTTON Stockings, with double heels and toes. Store orders only.

Women's Stockings, 3 Pairs for \$1.00

A fine black Stocking with spun silk boot and listle thread garter tops and double soles—a very durable Stocking.

Street floor, front, Central Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

\$1.75 Stamped Linen Shirt Waist, 95c

Exceptional Art Needlework Offers

STAMPED LINEN SHIRT WAISTS, including the Robespierre models. Of excellent quality material, stamped for solid and eyelet embroidery, punchwork and the new French knotting. The Robespierre models will also show patterns for the new Balkan embroidery.

Stamped Linen Scarf Ties at 15c

First showing of white linen Scarf Ties, stamped for the Balkan embroidery, to be worn with the Robespierre Shirt Waists. Finished model shown in the department.

Free instructions in this embroidery to all purchasers.

Second floor, West Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Men's \$15 to \$25 Overcoats, \$9.75 and \$12.50

The final clearance of the fine fancy Overcoats at figures that have not been approached this season for equivalent worth. Neat effects, mostly in regular length conservative, English walking or long convertible collar models. An excellent variety for choice.

MEN'S \$60.00 to \$150.00 FUR LINED OVERCOATS, **\$39.50 to \$99.50.**

MEN'S \$3.00 to \$4.00 FANCY WAISTCOATS, **\$1.95.**

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

Women's \$3.50 & \$4 Shoes, \$2.95

NEW, snappy styles in this season's models. Several thousand pairs in gun metal, patent leather and black kidskin; soles welted and stitched; high arch last, Cuban heels.

Second floor, West Building.

THURSDAY SPECIAL.

\$2.25 German China Chocolate Sets, \$1.75

14 PIECES, exquisitely decorated with rich blended colors and dainty floral effects in natural colors; all pieces highly illuminated with gold; set consists of Chocolate Pot and six Cups and Saucers.

\$4.98 American Cut Glass Covered Cheese Dishes at \$3.49

Extra heavy blank, exquisitely cut in a combination of Venetian, hobnail and fan designs, finished with deep scalloped edge. Store orders only and none C. O. D.

Subway floor, Central Building.